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TO AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN

SUBJECT: WORLD WAR I DEBT AND THE JOHNSON ACT

REF: BUDAPEST 3398

1. SHORTLY AFTER TELEGRAM TRANSMITTING JOHNSON ACT ASSURANCES SENT, DEPT. RECEIVED EMBASSY'S OM OF OCT. 6 INDICATING THAT 900,000.00 HUNGARIAN FORINTS (DOLS 38,539.27) WERE PAID ON SEPTEMBER 19, 1975 TO ACCOUNT OF U.S. DISBURSING OFFICE, REGIONAL FINANCE CENTER, PARIS.

2. PRELIMINARY CALCULATIONS INDICATE THAT SUM DIRECTLY REDUCES THE DOLS 159,598.47 SURPLUS PROPERTY ARREARAGE FIGURE OF SEPTEMBER 30 CONTAINED IN NOTE GIVING ASSURANCES ON JOHNSON ACT. WHILE WE DO NOT

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BELIEVE THIS PAYMENT WILL AFFECT INTEREST CALCULATIONS

OF SEPTEMBER 30 ARREARAGE FIGURE (SINCE ONLY ELEVEN DAYS INVOLVED), WE WILL FORWARD EXACT NEW ARREARAGE FIGURE WITHIN NEXT FEW DAYS.

3. WE ARE PREPARING A TABLE OF GOH PAYMENTS AND ACCRUED ARREARAGES FOR EMBASSY USE IN EXPLAINING USG FIGURE ON CURRENT SURPLUS PROPERTY ARREARAGE. INGERSOLL

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